

PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD
Effective January 1, 2003

Application or Docket Number

10602215

CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)
TOTAL CLAIMS	15	
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS	17 minus 20 =	*
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	5 minus 3 =	2
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2

CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total	15	Minus	20 = 5
Independent	5	Minus	3 = 2
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			<input type="checkbox"/>

SMALL ENTITY TYPE <input type="checkbox"/>		OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	FEE		RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE	375.00	OR	BASIC FEE	750.00
X\$ 9=		OR	X\$18=	
X42=		OR	X84=	108
+140=		OR	+280=	280
TOTAL		OR	TOTAL	1198

SMALL ENTITY		OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=		OR	X\$18=	
X42=		OR	X84=	
+140=		OR	+280=	
TOTAL		OR	TOTAL	
ADDITIONAL FEE		OR	ADDITIONAL FEE	

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=		OR	X\$18=	
X42=		OR	X84=	
+140=		OR	+280=	
TOTAL		OR	TOTAL	
ADDITIONAL FEE		OR	ADDITIONAL FEE	

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=		OR	X\$18=	
X42=		OR	X84=	200.00
+140=		OR	+280=	
TOTAL		OR	TOTAL	200.00
ADDITIONAL FEE		OR	ADDITIONAL FEE	

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AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total	15	Minus	20 = 5
Independent	5	Minus	3 = 2
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			<input type="checkbox"/>

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total	19	Minus	20 = -1
Independent	6	Minus	5 = 1
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			<input type="checkbox"/>

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CLAIMS AS FILED – PART I							
(Column 1)		(Column 2)		SMALL ENTITY		OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA		RATE	FEE	RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))					\$ _____		\$ _____
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))		minus 20 =	*	X \$ _____ =		X \$ _____ =	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))		minus 3 =	*	X \$ _____ =		X \$ _____ =	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(d))				+ \$ _____ =		+ \$ _____ =	
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CLAIMS AS AMENDED – PART II							
(Column 1)		(Column 2)		(Column 3)		SMALL ENTITY	
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA		OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))		Minus	**	=		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))		Minus	***	=		X \$ _____ =	X \$ _____ =
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))				+ \$ _____ =		+ \$ _____ =	
				TOTAL ADD'L FEE		TOTAL ADD'L FEE	
(Column 1)		(Column 2)		(Column 3)		SMALL ENTITY	
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA		OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))		Minus	**	=		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))		Minus	***	=		X \$ _____ =	X \$ _____ =
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))				+ \$ _____ =		+ \$ _____ =	
				TOTAL ADD'L FEE		TOTAL ADD'L FEE	
(Column 1)		(Column 2)		(Column 3)		SMALL ENTITY	
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA		OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))		Minus	**	=		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))		Minus	***	=		X \$ _____ =	X \$ _____ =
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))				+ \$ _____ =		+ \$ _____ =	
				TOTAL ADD'L FEE		TOTAL ADD'L FEE	

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

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Signature	<i>Matthew J. Russo</i>	Date	April 7, 2006
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